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November 1, 1993

Reference:

Lord-Shope RD/RA Monthly Progress Report

Dear Mr. Turner:

Lord is hereby submitting five copies of the monthly progress report for November 1993.

The following work was conducted during this period: The following was conducted during the following was conducted with the following was conducted

REMEDIAL DESIGN/REMEDIAL ACTION

Lord, their Consultant Eckenfelder Inc., the USEPA RPM and the USEPA consultant, Ecology & Environment participated in a conference call regarding prefinal design comments received from the USEPA RPM on October 11, 1993. All outstanding issues were resolved.

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Lord and Eckenfelder are making good progress on the Prefinal RD and plan to make the submittal on schedule for the November 15, 1993 target date.

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The monthly inspection was performed and the site is in good condition. Last month Lord reported that Well 20B was found to have a hole in the casing during the wetlands assessment walkover. Upon further evaluation during our monthly inspection, Lord identified a number of wells and piezometers which have high powered rifle bullet holes in them. (W20A & B and 2 piezometers; all located on the Over Lake property.) Lord is evaluating a temporary repair method for these wells and piezometers.





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Lord has finalized a formal request for access to Over Lake property to complete the RA; the current agreement expires with the USEPA approval of the RD. A copy of the formal access request letter to Over Lake was also submitted to Tim Malloy of USEPA. No response has been received from Over Lake to date. Lord will need USEPA assistance to gain access if this proposal is not accepted by Over Lake.

Yours truly,

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